

Raftsman's Journal.

CLEARFIELD, PA., MAY 17, 1871.

To PATRONS.—To insure the safe transmission of money by mail, patrons should remit by check or money-order, or have their letters registered. A receipt will be sent on the first paper after the money comes to hand.

Notices inserted under the heading of "Special Notices" at 15 cents a line for first insertion; and 5 cents a line for each subsequent insertion.

Table with columns for Expresses, Arrives, and Leaves, listing various routes and times.

Clearfield R. R.—Summer Arrangement. Expresses leave Clearfield at 5:30 a.m., 8:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 2:30 p.m., 5:30 p.m., 8:30 p.m., 11:30 p.m.

RELIGIOUS.—Divine services will be held next Sabbath, in Clearfield, as follows: By Rev. H. M. C. Lord, in St. Andrew's Episcopal church, at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M.

WANTED.—An office to do general housework. Apply at this office.

GETTING quite dilapidated—the "Shiloh" that was demolishing our streets on Monday last. Poor Joe; his days are nearly numbered.

THE School Districts for 1870 of the several districts in this county, amounting in the aggregate to \$2,667 17, have been cashed by the County Treasurer.

WHAT has become of the projected Wool mill, of which we heard something several weeks ago? Don't procrastinate, lest some other parties get ahead of you.

THE CROPS.—We understand that some damage was done to the growing grain crops, in this county, by the recent heavy frosts. The fruit was also seriously damaged.

SPARE THE BIRDS.—The boys, old and young, must bear in mind that there is a fine of twenty-five dollars on every bird killed, or of a nest destroyed. The law will be enforced.

PLANT YOUR OWNERS if there is any place about your house where water is thrown out, and likely to become malarious. This plant has the power of absorbing malaria and purifying the atmosphere.

A TEMPLE OF HONOR was instituted at Osceola on Monday, the 1st inst., by D. G. W. C. T. J. A. Ganoe. The members are fitting up a hall for their accommodation.

NUMBERS of rafts are tied up all along the river, having failed to reach a market on the last float. This is much to be regretted, as a failure to get the lumber to market has considerable of a tendency to create a stringency in money matters in this county.

THE Democratic Primary election, will be held on Saturday, June 10th. We wish the candidates a lively time. As it is no "fight" of ours, we hope the Republicans throughout the county will refrain from going to the election and voting. It is had policy to mix in "family affairs."

TWENTY-TWO "patriotic" Democrats have announced that they are willing to sacrifice themselves to the interests of the party in this county, by filling the various official positions for one elective term. The contest grows more interesting, as the day for the primary election draws near.

ACCIDENT.—Mr. John Weaver's carriage, driven by his young son, was, by some mishap, upset near Goodfellow's bridge on Saturday last. The carriage contained a lady and four or five children, but fortunately no one sustained serious injury, notwithstanding the carriage was literally smashed to pieces.

"No town of its size has a swifter, sharper, smaller-souled gang of male gossipers and traducers, than this very same Tyrone."—Herald.

SPRINKLERS well for its male citizens; must say. Brained had better publish a list of Tyrone's "moral young men" a la Bellefleur's Republic.

FIRE IN HOUTZDALE.—We learn that at about 2 o'clock on Sunday morning last, a large and commodious hotel, together with most of the furniture and goods, belonging to Mr. David Persing, in Houtzdale, this county, was destroyed by fire. It is supposed to have been the work of an incendiary. Loss about four thousand dollars. No insurance.

ANOTHER TRAIN.—On Monday morning last an Express train was put on the Tyrone and Clearfield railway, leaving Clearfield at 5 o'clock in the morning. This arrangement will afford passengers from this place an opportunity of going to Williamsport, Harrisburg, or Hollidaysburg, or any intermediate point, and return the same day. The schedule—summer arrangement—appears under the local heading this week.

SUDDEN DEATH.—We learn that Dr. A. F. Stayman, of New York, formerly of Baltimore, who was on a visit to some friends in this place, last week, was found dead in bed at the "Ward House," in Tyrone, on Saturday morning last. The Doctor left here on the mail train at 2:40 on Friday afternoon, in feeble health. On retiring to bed in the evening, he requested to be awakened at an early hour. Accordingly, on Saturday morning some one was sent to arouse him, when it was discovered he was lifeless. An inquest was held, but we have not yet learned what the decision of the jury was as to the probable cause of his sudden death. He was about 38 years of age. His remains were forwarded to Baltimore for interment, where some relatives reside.

WHITEWASH.—As this is the season for whitewashing, we give the following recipe sent out by the Lighthouse Board of the Treasury Department, which will answer on wood, brick and stone, nearly as well as oil paint, and is much cheaper: "Slake half a bushel of crushed lime with boiling water, keep it covered during the process. Strain it and add, peck of salt, dissolved in warm water, three pounds of ground rice put in boiling water and boiled to a thin paste; half a pound of powdered Spanish whiting, and a pound of clear glue, dissolved in warm water; mix these well together, and let the mixture stand for several days. Keep the wash thus prepared in a kettle or portable furnace, and when used put it on as hot as possible, and with a painter's or whitewash brush."

FOREPAUGH'S AGGREGATION exhibited in this place on Tuesday, 16th. The collection of animals is the best we have seen for many years. The Circus' performances also were good.

HOW TO KEEP CANARY BIRDS.—Many persons have difficulty in keeping canary birds in good health. One who is experienced in their care says: Place the cage so that no draft of air can strike the bird; give nothing to eat but canary and rape seed, mixed with water, cuttle fish bone, and gravel on the floor of the cage; also, occasionally, a little water for bathing; the room should never be over heated; when mounting (shedding feathers) avoid drafts of air; give plenty of rape seed, slightly moistened, a little hard boiled egg, and cracked grain; feed is excellent. By observing these simple directions, birds may be kept in fine condition for years. Bad seed kills most of the birds that die; to which it might have been added, that canary birds are not only fond of it but benefited by having a leaf of cabbage, piece of apple, or green food, which serves to keep down the tendency of fever, and prevents constipation. The birds usually bathe each day as regularly as any one washes the face, and with apparent benefit. When birds are sick, and inclined not to eat well, remove all the food for a day, and then only give soaked bread, from which most of the moisture has been squeezed.

From the Counties Around Us. ELK COUNTY.—The house of John Boyer, in St. Mary's borough, was entirely consumed by fire on Friday the 5th inst. A new bridge is to be built across the Clarion river at Ridgway.

INDIANA COUNTY.—A son of Mr. George Farnall, near Pine Flats, on the 4th inst., fell from the hay loft, a distance of some eighteen feet to the barn floor, striking on his head and shoulders, producing severe concussion of the brain. There is hope of his recovery. On the same day a young son of Philip Steffy, of Blairsville, also fell from a hay mow and broke one of his arms. A man named Frank Blind, who resides a few miles north of Indiana borough, and who is the terror of the whole community, was arrested and committed to jail on the 9th, charged with assault and battery on a young man named M. E. Woy. S. M. Clark, Esq., of Indiana borough, is named in connection with the Democratic nomination for President Judge of this district.

JEFFERSON COUNTY.—On the 9th inst., Samuel Jordan, a farmer, residing about four miles from Perryville, in a fit of insanity, seized a sharp axe, and almost literally cut his wife to pieces, nearly severing the head from the body, and causing instant death. He then attempted to cut his own throat with the axe, but succeeded only in inflicting a severe wound. A brother of Jordan was present, but was unable to prevent the horrible tragedy. Jordan has been arrested and lodged in the Brockville jail. Mrs. Jordan was a daughter of Mr. David Hurd. The house of Mr. William Gall, of Perry township, with nearly all its contents, including 160 bushels of grain, was destroyed by fire on the 9th inst. A defective fire caused the fire. Miss Susan B. Anthony is to lecture, on the 21st of June, in Brookville, on "The Power of the Ballot."

Special Locals. The best of hats, caps, boots, shoes, etc., can be had at Follen's, on Second street.

THE LADY'S FRIEND for June is out. It is a splendid number—the engravings being unusually attractive and handsome. Price \$2.50 a year. Deacon & Peterson, Phila. publishers.

On stepping into Messrs. Hartwick & Irwin's new store room, the other day, the first object that attracted our attention was the white marble counter—a new feature in this place. It is of the best Italian marble highly polished, and was put up by Mrs. Liddell of this place. Those in want of cemetery work, or any article made of marble, should call at Mrs. Liddell's, whose work is equal in finish and quality to any brought from the east.

DR. F. PLATTO, formerly of Syracuse, N. Y., desires us to inform the people of Clearfield and vicinity that he has permanently located among them, for the purpose of practicing his profession. The Doctor will be in readiness to attend to all professional calls, either night or day. His office is on Reed street, south side, between the Railroad and Second street, where he may be found night and day, when not engaged elsewhere. March 8, 1871.

SEWING MACHINES.—We take great pleasure in announcing to the people of Clearfield county, that our old townsman A. I. Southard, has been appointed agent for the sale of the celebrated Grover & Baker sewing machines. These machines have been before the public for many years, and long and favorably known as a first class sewing machine, and at the present time stand un surpassed for durability and cheapness. Machines sold on terms to suit purchasers. We would advise all who contemplate purchasing a sewing machine to call on friend Southard, at the Keystone Boot and Shoe store, where "A. I." will be found on hand, ready to explain to all who come, the mysteries of the G. & B., or at the Music store of Miss E. A. P. Ryder, who can furnish all desired information.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Letters Testamentary on the estate of Samuel Brillhart, late of this county, dec'd., having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them, properly authenticated, for settlement to the undersigned, at his residence, on Reed street, on or before the 15th day of June, 1871. SAMUEL BREITH, Executor.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters of Administration on the estate of Isaac Scofield late of Clearfield Borough, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are required to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them, properly authenticated, for settlement to JANE SCOFIELD, Administratrix. April 12, 71-6t.

FARM FOR SALE! Containing 26 acres, in a good state of cultivation, situate in Pike township, about 80 rods from Logan's Mill, on the Turnpike leading from Clearfield to Curwensville. There is a story and a half house, a stable and other outbuildings erected thereon. There is also a spring of good water and a young orchard on the premises.

TOBACCO AND CIGARS. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. At the New Tobacco and Cigar Store of R. H. SHAW, Two doors east of the Postoffice, Clearfield, Pa.

NEW STORE. Corner of Second St. and Hill Road. R. MITCHELL Has just received and opened, at the above named place, an entire new stock of Spring and Summer Goods, which he will sell very cheap for cash.

Clearfield Academy! A Male and Female High School. EACH DEPARTMENT COMPLETE AND COMPLETE IN ITSELF.

THE Fourth Session of the present Scholastic year, of this Institution commences on Monday, the 1st day of May, 1871. Pupils can enter at any time. They will be charged with tuition from the time they enter to the close of the session.

TERMS OF TUITION: Orthography, Reading, Penmanship, Primary Arithmetic, Primary Geography and Pencil Drawing, per session (10 weeks), \$5 00.

HOMES FOR ALL. IN THE LAND OF FLOWERS AND PERPETUAL GROWTH. FLORIDA. THE ITALY OF AMERICA.

P. T. I. DR. BOYER'S PURE WEST BRANCH BITTERS. A Pure, Pleasant, Safe and Reliable Tonic, can be had from any druggist.

IT NEEDS BUT A TRIAL. To increase the Appetite—to promote Digestion—to cure Dyspepsia—to cure Fever and Ague—to cure Biliousness—to cure Constipation—to cure Chronic Diarrhoea—to cure Flatulency—to cure Acid Eructations—to cure Nervous Debility—to cure Hypochondria—to cure Sallowness of the Complexion—to cure Bruises and Blotches—to cure General Debility and Prostration of the Physical Powers.

IT HAS NO EQUAL. TRY IT AND BE CONVINCED. SOLD EVERYWHERE. AT 51 PER CENT. A liberal discount to the trade.

SMALL PROFITS AND QUICK SALES. HARTSWICK & IRWIN are constantly replenishing their stock of Drugs, Medicines, &c. School books and Stationery, including the Osgood and National series of readers. Also—Tobacco and Cigars, of the best quality, and at the lowest prices. Call and see. Clearfield, Nov. 10, 1869.

H. F. NAUGLE. WATCH MAKER, GRAHAM'S ROW, CLEARFIELD. The undersigned respectfully informs his old customers and the public, that he has on hand (and constantly receiving new additions) a large stock of Clocks, Watches and Jewelry.

FURNITURE ROOMS. JOHN GUELICH, Desires to inform his old friends and customers that, having enlarged his shop and increased his facilities for manufacturing, he is now prepared to make to order such furniture as may be desired, in good style and at cheap rates for cash.

COFFINS OF EVERY KIND. Made to order, and funerals attended with a Hearse, whenever desirable.

JUST IN TIME! THE NEW GOODS AT A. K. WRIGHT & SONS, CLEARFIELD, PA.

DRY GOODS. The best quality such as Prints, DeLaines, Alpacas, Merinos, Ginghams, Muslins, bleached and unbleached; Drillings, Tickings, cotton and wool flannels, Casimires, Ladies' Shawls, Coats, Hats, Hoods, Hoop skirts, Balmorals, &c., &c., all of which will be sold low for cash.

MEN'S WEAR. consisting of Drawers and Shirts, Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes, Handkerchiefs, &c., &c.

FOR THE LADIES. They have Bonnets, Silks, Gossams, Alpaca, Merino, Wool Velvets, Laces, Ginghams, Prints, Poplins, Lawns, Satinets, Handkerchiefs, Kid and other Gloves, Hosiery, Balmorals, and a general variety of Ribbons, Trimmings, Buttons, Braids, etc., at the lowest prices.

FOR GENTLEMEN. They have Black and Blue Cloths, Black and Fanny Casimires, Sateenings, Tweeds, Melton Worsted Cloth, Silk Satin and common Tweeds, etc., in great variety, and at prices that will give general satisfaction to buyers.

GROUND AND UNGROUND SPICES, Citron English Currants, Essence Coffee, and Vinegar of the best quality, for sale by J. H. BARTSWICK & IRWIN, 24 Park Row, New York.

GRAIN AND COUNTRY PRODUCE taken in exchange for goods. F. WALKER & CO., Proprietors, 125 N. 2nd St., Philadelphia, Pa.

TERMS OF THE JOURNAL. The RAFTSMAN'S JOURNAL is published on Wednesdays at \$2.00 per annum in advance. If not paid at the beginning of the year, \$2.50 will be charged, and \$3.00 if not paid before the close.

LONGET ROOF. In the United States is on King's Sons' Factory, nearly a quarter of a mile long—and is covered with READY ROOFING CHEAP, DURABLE and easily applied. Send for circulars and samples to the manufacturers.

Co-Partnership in Store. C. A. BOROUGH having associated with him in the Mercantile business, in Lewisville, Clearfield county, Mr. C. R. McCracken, solicits a continuance of the patronage so generously extended heretofore.

REMOVAL. HARTSWICK & IRWIN, DRUGGISTS, Market St., Clearfield, Pa.

White Lead Turpentine. Flaxseed Oil, Paints, and in fact everything used in the painting business, which we offer at City prices to cash buyers.

SPRING GOODS! Splendid 10 cent Calicoes, Belton's, shirring checks, White linen, Black silks, Japanese Silks, Silk Poplins, Black Alpaca, Velveteens, Shawl Linens, Boys' Casimires, &c.

A Great Medical Discovery! DR. WALKER'S CALIFORNIA VINEGAR BITTERS! Herdreds of thousands bear testimony to their Wonderful Curative Effects.

WHAT ARE THEY? THEY ARE NOT A TALE FANCY DRINK, Made of Pure Rum, Whiskey, Proof Spirits, and the best of California Vines.

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ALSO. A general assortment of Ready-made Clothing, Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes, Hardware and Queensware, Wood and Willowware, and a full stock of Groceries.

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CURWENSVILLE ADVERTISEMENTS. "CHEAPER than the CHEAPEST." GOODS AT REDUCED PRICES, JUST RECEIVED BY ARNOLD & HARTSHORN, Curwensville, Pa.

Having just returned from the East with a complete stock of Groceries, Hardware, and Summer trade, we were now prepared to furnish all kinds of Goods.

WOOD AND WILLOWWARE. GROCERIES. BOOTS & SHOES. HATS & CAPS. CLOTHING. CARPETS. TOBACCO, Etc.

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MEAT, RYE, CORN, and every thing necessary for use of Lumbermen.

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